



# California 4 Little League



Ted Boet, District Administrator

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Little League - Intermediate League - Junior League - Senior League - Big League - Challenger Division

## 2016 March Meeting Minutes

**Meeting to Order:** 7:30 March 15<sup>th</sup>, Farm Bureau Office, Concord.

**League Attendance:** Albany, Antioch, Continental, East County, NO/SOLL, Martinez, Pinole Hercules, Pittsburg, and Richmond

**Public Address:**

**Reports:**

### Ted Boet - District Administrator

- Volunteer Umpires
  - Need volunteer umpires for Post Season
    - Without volunteer umpires, TOC will be eliminated
    - (1) Maybe District 4 sends a letter to everyone about this
- If a Little League team is playing a non LL team, waiver is needed
  - If you don't play LL Rules, may be denied
  - If you waiver YES to LL Rules, but don't, insurance may be voided
    - Board may be liable
  - New Law 18900 Business Code
    - 01/01/2016 effective
    - (1) Must let everyone know all volunteers have background checks
    - (2) Must post on website what background and how they are completed
- Tee-Ball program – 12 week program
- Safety Deposit boxes is a good idea for all important documents
- Teams for TOC and All-Stars are due, okay to email in to Ted this week
  - Fines to follow

### Geoffrey Shiu - ADA

- Concussion
  - A Chartered Little League using school property for their program must follow concussion protocol under Education Code
- Awards Program
  - Volunteer of the Year
  - Good Sport Award
  - Challenger Award
  - Mom of the Year
  - Urban Initiative Volunteer of the Year
  - Softball Volunteer of the Year
- Parent Committee
  - Your opinions, positive/negatives, on local league/district issues
  - Advisory Board to Little League International
  - Better interaction with parents from around the world
  - Submit online application for consideration

- Little League Trade Marks
  - May not use Little League Logos and Trademarks in connection with a business or organization
  - May not give permission to any business to use Little League Logos
  - May not use Little League Trademarks with other programs for fundraising other than Little League activities
- Non-Licensed Supplier
  - Chartered Little League may request a single-use agreement
  - Supplier must also complete "Supplier Information" form

#### **Don Waddell - Chief Umpire**

- Pre-season clinics are done
- Thank you to Continental for hosting Field Mechanics
  - 9/15 leagues attended
- Rules Clinics – PH and WC hosted
  - Mostly JR umps attended – would like more adults to attend
- 1 umpire from PHLL attended the Western Region training on the D4 scholarship
- Using Non-Volunteer Umpires
  - Association umpires are fine
  - Try to get the community to come out and support the league
- D4 Umpire Training staff will come out and help develop your league
- Little League Rulebook is electronic and able to be downloaded
  - Is also searchable
- John Fink selected to the Senior Softball World Series (Concord American)

#### **Liz Berg - Safety Officer**

- Not preset
- ASAPs are 100%
- Ted might change the Safety Plan to only 1 book, instead of separate files for 2017

#### **Don Mayjoffo - Little League Baseball ADA**

- Rescheduling rainouts will be hard
  - Watch pitching
- Might want to start All-Star affidavit now
- Turn in Safety Reports on all injuries

#### **David Preuss – Teenage Baseball ADA**

- Teenage Baseball interleague form needs to be completed and sent to Ted asap

#### **Carla Moore - Softball ADA**

- Softball Rules Clinic was better attended
- Not sure if she will disperse videos and powerpoint for those who didn't attend
- Make sure managers and coaches have Rule Books

#### **Fred Flint - Challenger ADA**

- 4/24 Challenger Jamboree -> Walnut Creek Heather Farms
  - Donations and games are still needed
  - More volunteers are still needed
  - Everyone is invited to come out and join in

#### **Alan Hatcher - Special Projects ADA**

- Nothing to report

#### **Valerie Potts - Secretary**

- Nothing to report

#### **Comments:**

- Next meeting – April 19<sup>th</sup>, 2016

**Meeting Adjourned:** 08:31 PM